

NOTED CHURCH CASE SETTLED

Cumberland Presbyterian Retains Its Property and Checks Union.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., April 3.—The Cumberland Presbyterian Church in Tennessee this afternoon won the noted church case with which the Tennessee Supreme Court has been wrestling for two years. The court holds that the steps sought to be taken by a portion of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church in uniting with the Presbyterian Church, U. S. A., were not effective.

It was held that the Cumberland Church still exists, and that its members still retain its creed doctrines, &c. It was held that the Unionists had allied themselves with a different church and doctrines.

The Cumberlands get the church property and the Unionists are adjudged not to have a right or title to it. Their bill in which they sued to recover church property in Fayetteville, Tenn., is dismissed with costs.

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